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1. PLEASE PASS THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO SENATOR JAVITS FROM AMBASSADOR MARTIN:

FOLLOWING TEL SENT ACTION DEPT APR 08 REPEATED FOR YOUR ACTION.

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DEPARTMENT MAY BE INTERESTED IN LIBERATION RADIO'S VIEWS ON ADOPTION OF VIETNAMESE ORPHANS BY AMERICAN FAMILIES. THE FOLLOWING ITEM IS THE FBIS SAIGON TRANSLATION OF A 4 APRIL BROADCAST:

BEGIN TEXT ACCORDING TO AFP, ON 4 APRIL A U.S. C-5A AIRCRAFT TRANSPORTING 243 OUT OF THE 2,000 VIETNAMESE CHILDREN SOLD BY THIEU TO THE UNITED STATES CAUGHT FIRE AND CRASHED ABOUT 2.5 KILOMETERS EAST-NORTHEAST OF SAIGON. VERY FEW CHILDREN SURVIVED.

WHAT IS FORD'S EXPLANATION FOR THE TRAGIC DEATHS OF THESE VIETNAMESE CHILDREN? PUBLIC OPINION IN THE SOUTH AND IN THE WORLD ARE INDIGNANTLY CONDEMNING FORDS' SO-CALLED HUMANE EVACUATION ACTIVITIES. THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO HUMANITY IN THE U.S.-THIEU CLIQUE'S CAMPAIGN TO FORCE PEOPLE TO EVACUATE.
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THERE IS ONLY THE CRIME OF PILLAGING AND KILLING PEOPLE,

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RAPING WOMEN, AND SO FORTH.

IN FORCING OUR COMPATRIOTS AND CHILDREN TO EVACUATE TO TO THE UNITED STATES, FORD AND THIEU ARE DETERMINED TO TRANSFORM THEM INTO COMMANDOS, SPIES AND MERCENARIES TO OPPOSE AND SABOTAGE THE VIETNAMESE REVOLUTION AT ANY OPPORTUNITY.

THE CHILDREN WHO WERE TRANSPORTED TO THE UNITED STATES WILL BE A SOURCE OF MERCENAIRES FOR U.S. WARS IN WHICH U.S. BLOOD WILL NOT BE SHED. FOR THIS REASON, THE UNITED STATES HAS RESORTED TO ALL BRUTAL MANEUVERS AND USED ALL DECEITFUL WORDS TO CONDUCT THE EVACUATION CAMPAIGN.

IN A COMMENTARY ON THIS CRIMINAL ACT BY FORD AND THIEU, LPA SAYS: THERE IS NO HUMANITY INVOLVED; ONLY THE MOST HORRIBLE CRIME (WORDS INDISTINCT)). OUR COMPATRIOTS--VICTIMS OF THE FORD ADMINISTRATION'S BRUTAL POLICY--ARE CALLING US. OUR PEOPLE VEHEMENTLY CONDEMN THIS POLICY AND WILL RESOLUTELY STEP UP THE STRUGGLE ON THE POLITICAL, MILITARY AND DIPLOMATIC FRONTS TO EFFECTIVELY CHECK THIS SCHEME AND ACT OF THE UNITED STATES AND ITS HENCHMEN.

WE SEVERELY WARN THE U.S. SATELLITES AGAINST LENDING A HELPING HAND IN THIS CRIMINAL EVACUATION CAMPAIGN. WE ARE CONVINCED THAT THIS SCHEME OF THE U.S. ADMINISTRATION CANNOT BE CONCEALED FROM ANYONE. ALL MANKIND, INCLUDING U.S. PROGRESSIVES, WILL STRUGGLE TOGETHER WITH US TO STAY THE CRIMINAL HANDS OF THE FORD ADMINISTRATION. END TEXT

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